

THE ROOMMATES AREN'T SPEAKING NOW By FONTAINE FOX



NOW! I AINT GONNA LENDYA
A CLEAN SHIRT—SHE CANT
SEE WHERE ITS TORN OR DIRTY
UNDERNEATH YOUR COAT AND
YOU CAN TURN
THE CUFFS



IS MISS ETHEL
AT HOME?



I'M SO GLAD YOU CAME! I'M KNITTING
A SWEATER FOR BROTHER— TAKE
OFF YOUR COAT AND
TRY IT ON FOR
SIZE!

War Savings Jingle
Now I set me down to think,
How many times (if I don't drink)
I'll take to buy war savings stamps,
And bust the Kaiser's bloomin' lamps.



In Low-Life, Yes
The Purple Cow.
"What is woman's crowling
glory?"
"The rolling pin, I suppose."

The Damage
"My wife burst into a flood of
tears the other night."
"Did she cause any trouble?"
"I should say so. Swept away
\$25 for a new hat in the first tor-
rent."

In the Good Old Days



Yeoman—I hear Rolf is stage-
struck.
Fair Lady—In sooth, would he
fain become an actor.
Yeoman—Nay, he got in the way
of the Royal Couch.

RECTANGULAR BUT HARDLY "SQUARE"



—Harvard Langman.
"The Germans say they give their prisoners of war
"Yes, two bouillon cubes."

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB
I feel so proud of
subway trains
And phonographs and
buildings tall.
I wish the ancients
could be here
We'd just show
off before
them all.
RICHARD

The Man Who Reads My Paper
I'm not a selfish man, I think,
Nor do I feel that printer's ink
And journalistic brilliancy
Are spent exclusively for me;
Yet somehow, when I sit and scan
My paper, I despise the man
Beside me in the subway who
So calmly sits and scans it, too.
I turn the page, but without
shame
He reads the next one just the
same.
I'd like to tell him what I mean,
But that would only make a scene,
And so I silently abuse,
And quite forget to read the news.
—W. B. Burdick in the Century

The Young Lady Across the Way



The young lady across the way
says she guesses her father's busi-
ness must be on a very substantial
basis now as she overheard him say
it looked as if his company would
pay its next dividend right out of
its capital account.

MANHOLES EXPLODE ON CHESTNUT STREET—OTHER PHOTO NEWS



Even if Philadelphia should fail to get the parade of her soldier sons this spring, there is some consolation in the knowledge that a real soldier parade takes place every day in the lower end of the city. The picture shows the Marines of the First Advance Base taking their daily "hike" from League Island. The outing is an integral part of the training of the Marines, and the boys enjoy it immensely.



Popular and prominent Philadelphia girls are enthusiastic workers in the campaign for "Smokes" for the Sammees. The local officers of the "Our Boys in France Tobacco Fund" here seen as they were photographed in the Commonwealth Building are, left to right, Miss Cora B. Wilson, vice chairman; Miss Sydney V. Wilson, chairman, and Miss Mildred E. Fetterhoff, captain of team No. 1.



With a detonation heard for blocks, two manholes at the corner of Sixth and Chestnut streets exploded shortly before noon today, tearing great holes in the pavement. Four women pedestrians were injured by the blast and were rushed to the Jefferson Hospital in an Evening Public Ledger motor truck.



It's nice to be able to forget all about unsympathetic northern climates and enjoy life at Palm Beach these days. At least Ann Pennington, once of Camden, but now known by her dimpled knees in various "Follies" and movie productions, thinks so. International Film Service.



The German air raid on Paris on the night of January 30 was one of the most disastrous which the French capital has suffered. The picture shows how completely the front of a Paris cafe was destroyed by a giant bomb dropped from a German plane of the Gotha type. International Film Service.



SCHOOL DAYS

Oh Frank Kerk!
You mean old thing!
I see you up there
Smirky - you think
you're a tank!



Floating about in icy waters for a day and a night, three members of a crew of a vessel torpedoed by a German submarine miraculously escaped death. Although they were eventually rescued, their condition was so terrible after their long exposure to the icy ocean that it is not believed they will live. Underwood & Underwood.